

General Assembly

Amendment

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Offered by:

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To: Senate Bill No. **1065** File No. 87 Cal. No. 421

"AN ACT CONCERNING SECURED AND UNSECURED LENDING."

- Strike out everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following in lieu thereof:
- 3 "Section 1. Subsection (c) of section 36a-771 of the general statutes is 4 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof:
- 5 (c) Retail installment contracts shall contain the following statements, printed in a size equal to at least ten-point bold type: (1) At 6 7 the top of the contract, the words "RETAIL INSTALLMENT 8 CONTRACT" or "RETAIL <u>INSTALMENT CONTRACT"</u>; (2) a definite 9 statement that the insurance, if any, included in the retail installment 10 sale provides or does not provide coverage for personal liability and 11 property damage caused to others, as the case may be; (3) the 12 following notice directly above the space reserved for the signature of 13 the buyer: "NOTICE TO THE BUYER: 1. Do not sign this contract 14 before you read it or if it contains any blank space. 2. You are entitled

to a completely filled-in copy of the contract when you sign it. 3. Under

the law, you have the following rights, among others: (a) To pay off in

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17 advance the full amount due and obtain a partial refund of any

- 18 unearned finance charge; (b) to redeem the property if repossessed for
- 19 a default; (c) to require, under certain conditions, a resale of the
- 20 property if repossessed." Until October 1, 1982, any retail seller may, at
- 21 [his] such retailer's option, use the notice required by the provisions of
- 22 this section in effect prior to May 18, 1981.
- 23 Sec. 2. This act shall take effect from its passage."